# Diabetes Partners in Action Coalition Data, Research and Evaluation Workgroup Charter

## **Workgroup Sponsor**

Who: The DPAC Board

Their Role: Direction and guidance

#### **Workgroup Name**

How this workgroup will be known: DPAC Data, Research and Evaluation Workgroup

# **Workgroup Authority**

What this workgroup can do:

This workgroup can function or serve as a resource for DPAC and provide data as well as analytic/evaluation technical assistance or consultation

What this workgroup cannot do:

This work group cannot conduct independent research studies.

## **Workgroup Mission / Purpose**

The Data and Research Workgroup exists to provide data and analytic/evaluation technical assistance to support the DPAC mission

### **Workgroup Vision / Desired Outcomes**

The Data and Research Workgroup will work to provide accurate, up to date and appropriate data to assist DPAC and other decision makers

## **Workgroup Key Responsibilities**

- Provide technical assistance and consultation on data or analysis/evaluation topics to members of DPAC members and other diabetes service providers statewide, as needed
- Provide information on well-defined topics to support other DPAC workgroups or customers (e.g., conduct literature reviews, interpret research findings, identify opportunities for collection of outcome and evaluation data, identify funding opportunities related to diabetes, etc.)
- Assist with creating and distributing data products, such as the Diabetes in Michigan Fact Sheets, by identifying gaps in available data, sharing new data sources/findings and strategies for dissemination of materials
- Continue to identify, maintain a list and assess data sources that can be used to monitor diabetes care and diabetes-related services in Michigan